

# **COURT OF APPEALS**

## THIRD DISTRICT OF TEXAS

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October 23, 2020

The Honorable Velva L. Price Civil District Clerk Travis County Courthouse P. O. Box 1748 Austin, TX 78767 \* DELIVERED VIA E-MAIL \*

RE: Court of Appeals Number: 03-20-00498-CV

Trial Court Case Number: D-1-GN-20-005550

Style: Greg Abbott, in his Official Capacity as the Governor of Texas; and Ruth Hughs, in her

Official Capacity as Texas Secretary of State

v. The Anti-Defamation League Austin, Southwest, and Texoma Regions; Common

Cause Texas; and Robert Knetsch

Dear Honorable Price:

Enclosed, with reference to the above cause, is the mandate of this Court. Please file and execute in the usual manner. Your cooperation in this regard is appreciated.

In addition, as required by Texas Government Code, Sec. 51.204(d), the trial court clerk is notified that we will destroy all records filed in respect to this case with the exception of indexes, original opinions, minutes and general court dockets no earlier than six (6) years from the date final mandate is issued.

Very truly yours,

effrey D. Kyle, Clerk

cc: The Honorable Tim Sulak

Ms. Lindsey B. Cohan Mr. Benjamin L. Dower

The Honorable Billy Ray Stubblefield

## **MANDATE**

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS

### TO THE 353RD DISTRICT COURT OF TRAVIS COUNTY, GREETINGS:

Trial Court Cause No. D-1-GN-20-005550

Before our Court of Appeals for the Third District of Texas on October 23, 2020, the cause on appeal to revise or reverse your judgment between

Greg Abbott, in his Official Capacity as the Governor of Texas; and Ruth Hughs, in her Official Capacity as Texas Secretary of State

No. 03-20-00498-CV v.

The Anti-Defamation League Austin, Southwest, and Texoma Regions; Common Cause Texas; and Robert Knetsch

Was determined, and therein our Court of Appeals made its order in these words

This is an appeal from the interlocutory order signed by the trial court on October 15, 2020. Having reviewed the record and the parties' arguments, the Court holds that there was no reversible error in the trial court's interlocutory order. Therefore, the Court affirms the trial court's interlocutory order. The appellants shall pay all costs relating to this appeal, both in this Court and in the court below.

Wherefore, we command you to observe the order of our Court of Appeals in this behalf and in all things have the order duly recognized, obeyed, and executed.



Witness the Honorable Jeff L. Rose, Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals for the Third District of Texas, with the seal of the Court affixed in the City of Austin on Friday, October 23, 2020.

Jeffrey D. Kyle, Clerk

#### **BILL OF COSTS**

# TEXAS COURT OF APPEALS, THIRD DISTRICT, AT AUSTIN

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v.

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(No. D-1-GN-20-005550 IN 353RD DISTRICT COURT OF TRAVIS COUNTY)

Type of Fee	Charges	Paid	Ву
CLERK'S RECORD	\$223.00	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN
SUPPLEMENTAL CLERK'S RECORD	\$0.00	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN
REPORTER'S RECORD	\$3,478.00	UNKNOWN	UNKNOWN
INDIGENT	\$25.00	E-PAID	LA SHANDA GREEN
FILING	\$100.00	E-PAID	LA SHANDA GREEN
STATEWIDE EFILING FEE	\$30.00	E-PAID	LA SHANDA GREEN
FILING	\$10.00	E-PAID	LINDSEY COHAN
SUPREME COURT CHAPTER 51 FEE	\$50.00	E-PAID	LA SHANDA GREEN

Balance of costs owing to the Third Court of Appeals, Austin, Texas: 0.00

Court costs in this cause shall be paid as per the Judgment issued by this Court.

I, **JEFFREY D. KYLE, CLERK** OF THE THIRD COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the cost bill of THE COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE THIRD DISTRICT OF TEXAS, showing the charges and payments, in the above numbered and styled cause, as the same appears of record in this office.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness my hand and the Seal of the COURT OF APPEALS for the Third District of Texas on October 23, 2020.

Jeffrey D. Kyle, Clerk